

General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Introduced by: (FIN)

AN ACT CONCERNING A MUNICIPAL OPTION TO LEVY LOCAL TAXES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2008) (a) Any municipality, by
- 2 vote of its legislative body, may impose a local (1) sales tax on any
- 3 combination of sales and services within such municipality's borders,
- 4 provided such sales and services are subject to sales tax under state
- 5 law, (2) property tax, on items of personal or real property that are not
- 6 specifically exempted by state law, or (3) income tax, as a percentage of
- 7 the amount paid by residents of such municipality on each resident's
- 8 state personal income tax return.
- 9 (b) The Commissioner of Revenue Services shall develop guidelines
- 10 to be used by municipalities in adopting an ordinance pursuant to this
- 11 section. The commissioner shall provide a copy of the guidelines to
- 12 each municipality.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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Statement of Purpose:

To allow municipalities to adopt local ordinances imposing sales, property or income taxes.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]